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Applicant: Alexei GLEBOV, et al.
Serial No.: 09/932,526
Filed: August 17, 2001
For: *Optical Switching Apparatus and
Method For Fabricating*
Art Unit: 2839
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an amendment/response in the above-identified application.

FEE CALCULATION FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

| | As Amended | | Previously Paid For | | Present Extra | Rate | Additional Fee |
|---|------------|---|------------------------|---|------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| Independent Claims | 2 | - | 7 | = | 0 | \$ 86.00 | \$0.00 |
| Total Claims | 10 | - | 46 | = | 0 | \$ 18.00 | \$0.00 |
| For Multiple Dependent Claims | 0 | | 0 | | | \$290.00 | \$0.00 |
| () Small Entity Fee (reduced by half). | | | | | | Total Additional Fee: | \$0.00 |

(X) No additional claim fee is required.

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AMENDMENT "A"

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 8, 2004, please amend the above application
as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2
of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

Reexamination and reconsideration of the application in light of the following
Amendment and Remarks are respectfully requested.